the attention of Congress, with the re-the attention of Congress, with the re-W. McGarrah, Bradley Martin, G. Merrill, Millett, Roe & Hagan, quest for new legislation.

ment receives five cents on every \$100 of every new security issued by com-pany, association or corporation, there has been a tremendous increase in secur-ity issues of no par value. The Governity issues of no par value. The Government receives no tax on these issues. At least four big security issues have been made since the collection of the war tax began. These were made by the Kennecott Copper Corporation, the Cerro de Pasco Copper Company, the Submarine Boat Corporation, and the Interborough Consolidated Corporation.

Another matter concerning the transfer tax has been called to the attention of the Treasury Department through investigations conducted by George Z. Lowe, Collector of Internal Revenue. This is that on the transfer tax on securities of no par value or with a par value

The reorganized company is now being successfully managed. of \$50 the State of New York gets more of \$50 the State of New York gets more revenue than does the Government of the United States. For instance, on the transfer of 100 shares of stock of \$50 par value like Pennsylvania Railroad Company stock the State of New York gets \$2, while the United States Government.

gets but \$1.

The Treasury Department plans to ask Congress to change the laws of the nation regarding the tax on securities so that they will conform to those of the State of New York, which provide for a State of New York, which provide for a certain tax on every share of stock issued and a transfer tax on every share of stock in matter what its par value. The four new companies which were incorporated with stock of no par value after the war tax law went into effect about a Year ago have a total of 7.782.-627 outstanding shares. Were these shares of \$100 par value or of any par value the Government would have re-

ernment received nothing.

The Government is also unable to collect transfer tax on the shares of these stocks, which have been actively traded.

MORE TIME IN PLATTEN PLAN. Extension of Deposits of Mercan tile Marine Stock.

was learned yesterday that the time for the deposit of the common stock of the International Mercantile Marine Company with the Platter committee, which expired yesterday, would be extended. Thus far the committee has ecured a little less than a majority of the stock. It is hoped, however, that in the near future the committee will have approximately 80 per cent. of the stock deposited with it. This expecta-tion is based on the fact that the New York Trust Company holds. tion is based on the fact that the New York Trust Company holds a large block of the common stock, which was deposited with it when the International Mercantile Marine Company first went into the hands of the receivers. Under the agreement of deposit a tax of 50 cms per share is payable should any cents per share is payable should any withdrawals be made, but it is hoped that this agreement may be set aside

and the stock released.

Negotiations are under way between Wallace committee for the preferred stockholders and the Platten committee he common stockholders which, it lieved may result in better terms offered in the preliminary reorganization plans drafted by the Wallace committee.

NEW \$20,000,000 ERIE BONDS.

lisue Is for Purpose of Paying Off Railroad's Notes. The directors of the Eric Railroad authorized yesterday an issue of \$20,-

600,000 general mortgage 4 per cent. convertible bonds, which will probably be underwritten by a syndicate headed y J. P. Morgan & Co. and offered to stockholders of the Erie at 85. The bonds will be convertible into common stock at the end of two years at 50. The purpose of the new issue is to provide funds for the paying off of \$10,000,000 5 per cent. collateral trust gold notes, which mature on April 1, 1916, and the The most recent-financing done by the rie was in February and April of the resent year. In February the Eric sold \$7,400,000 Eric and Jersey first mortgage bonds and \$6,000,000 Genesse River first mortgage bonds. In April of this year \$10,000,000 5 per cent. collateral gold

BIG GAINS BY UNION PACIFIC. Gross Earnings in November Increase 23 Per Cent.

The report of the Union Pacific System se of \$1.947,220, or 37 per cent. CHARLES A SOTELLO, 2028 Concourse. large increase in gross earnings FLINTOFF & MALAT, formerly printers passenger traffic contributed \$132.139 freight \$1,631,708. Gross trans-ation expenses increased only \$221,-

Ings increase and \$808.446 the advance in passenger revenue. To carry this added traffic during the five months cost Union Pacific only \$160.046 transportation expenses. The increase in outlay on maintenance of way was \$400.569, while on maintenance of equipment \$37.224 less was spent than in the five months in 1914. The increase in taxes for the five months was \$207.218.

NEW RULE OF SAVAGE ARMS.

Driggs-Senbury Corporation Takes

BANKERS ALD HOSPITAL WORK. SITES FOR MANY Saturday and Sunday Association Reports New Gifts.

The bankers' and brokers' auxiliary of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association reports that the following contributions had been received up to

Four Companies, With No Par Value Stock, Avoid Paying
U. S. \$386,631.35.

OTHER LOSS TO TREASURY

As the result of an investigation by efficials of the Treasury Department into the incorporation of new companies with stocks of no par value and the changing of old stocks having a par value into securities without par value it is probable that the matter will be called to the attention of Congress, with the result of Congress and J. & W. Selfgrang & Co., \$2500; Engard & C that since the collection of the war tax, under which the United States Govern-

LOZIER CO. DIVIDEND \$80,000.

Automobile Concern's Receivers. DETROIT, Dec. 27 .-- A third dividend of 2 % per cent. on approved claims against the Lozier Motor Company, which was adjudicated bankrupt a year ago, is be-ing paid this week by the Detroit Trust Company, making a total distribution of 12½ per cent. since the receivers! This distribution totals \$80,000.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

Bankruptcy Petitions.

ALEX FEUEREISEN—Two petitions in bankruptcy have been filed against Alex Feuerelsen, dealer in men's furnishing goods at 742 Courtiandt avenue and 947 First avenue, by these creditors: Affred A. Wood. \$205; Morris Wilelshoefer. \$367; Rebecca Siegman, \$106; Bessie Lederman, \$200; Julia Cohen, \$28, and W. R. Golden, \$638. He also made an assignment to Charles Compton. Liabilities are \$3,000 and assets \$4,500.

LOUIS JACOBY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Jacoby, dealer in housefurnishings and hardware at 786 Westchester avenue, by these creditors: William Kornahrens, \$341; Louis Greenstein, \$222, and Joseph Horsch, \$15. He also made an assignment to Samuel Goldberg.

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FELIX KUNSTLER, real estate broker of 156 Rivington street, has fied a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities \$4,000 on a bond and mortgage given on 158 Rivington street to Adolf Mandel, private banker. No assets.

MERWIN B. PLUMB, dealer in waists and skirts at 315 Eighth avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities \$1,119 and assets \$1,436.

JOSEPH GARTNER, cabinetmaker of 987 Union avenue. The Bronx, formerly of Glassberg-& Gartner, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities \$1,887 and nominal assets \$3,000 in notes of Glassberg & Gartner, inc.

JULIA F. GARRITY, school teacher of 301

berg & Gartner, Inc.
ULIA F. GARRITY, school teacher of 301
West Fifty-seventh street, has filed a
petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities
\$1,503 to two creditors on a judgment
and on a note. No assets.

and on a note. No assets.

Compositions Confirmed.

LEON JAFFES—Judge Learned Hand has confirmed a composition of Leon Jaffes manufacturer of automobile tires and scrap rubber of 252 West Fifty-fift street and in Plainfield, N. J., Cleveland and Detroit, with creditors at 75 cents of the dollar, 50 cents in cash and 25 cents in notes. Liabilities were \$50,208. in notes. Liabilities were \$50,208. JOSEPH ROTH MANUFACTURING COM-PANY—Judge Hand has confirmed a composition of the Joseph Roth Manu-facturing Company, Inc., stuffed animals and toys, of 54 West Twenty-first street, with creditors at 25 cents on the dollar cash. Liabilities were \$23,790. MAX RAPPORT—Judge Hand has con-firmed a composition of Max Rapport dealer in cloaks and suits at 3493 Broad-way, with creditors at 25 cents on the dollar.

JOSEF KLEIN-Judge Hand has grmed a composition of Josef Klein dealer in coaks and suits at 101 Di vision street, with creditors at 20 cent on the dollar, half cash and half notes.

\$2,209 and actual assets \$2,066.

SELIG & WINTER, INC., manufacturer commen's neckwear at 112 East Nine teenth street, has filed schedules showing Habilities \$2,477, nominal assets \$82 and actual assets \$783.

Discharges From Bankruptcy.

Judge Learned Hand in the United States District Court yesterday granted discharges to these bankrupts:

LIEBENTHAL BROS. dealers in jewelry and clothing on the instalment plan, 930 Fox street; liabilities, \$144,774.

PHILIP TERRY, dresses and skirts, 510 Sixth avenue; liabilities, \$21,622.

SAUL RENNICK, women's tailor, West Forty-sixth street; liabilities, 985.

HENRY J. WOLLENHAUPT, cafe and restaurant, 37 East Nineteenth street; liabilities, \$13.441. liabilities, \$13,441.

FRANK LUGAR, Highland, N. Y., formerly decorator in New York; liabilities,
\$22,242.

\$22,349. PETER REILLY & BRO., 234 West Twen-ty-first street, formerly wallpaper; Ha-blittles, \$7.181. 6,887, or 23 per cent., and a net street.

FLINTOFF & MALAT, formerly printers. ROBERT P. BECK, policeman, 683 East 238th street. Of the gain of \$3,125,572 in gross for a months, \$2,107,653 was freight earning increase and \$808,446 the advance passenger recently.

Builders Have Busy Day Buying Plots in Manhattan and The Bronx.

BIG FIRMS LEASE SPACE

A good number of properties wall above the commonplace order found buyers yesterday. At such a period of the year, when the mind and interests of the public are festively inclined, a buying movement such as developed yesterday was not to have been expected. A fea-ture of the trading is the buying of sites for apartment improvement, a factor that cannot be passed over lightly, for it reflects a growing demand for living space in all parts of the city, which means a better and greater real estate market. Site buying affected the best sections of both Manhattan and The

sections of both Manhattan and The Bronx.

A builder of apartments added to a site in the East Side which he has been plecing together for an apartment development for some months. On the West Side there was a smilar deal. Both properties are to be improved in the most approved manner. In The Bronx lots, yes, blocks of them, were secured as building sites either by builders or speculators who have builders to take the land off their hands. Trading outside of the leading boroughs reflected a very lively interest in the market, which, as has been said before, is not usual at this period of so much distraction.

SITE FOR TOTH ST. APARTMENT. Julius Tishman & Sons have bought through Frederick Zittel & Sons the four four story dwellings at 30 to 36 West Seventieth street, between Central Park West and Columbus avenue. The property, which measures 79.6x100.5, was acquired by the seller at a partition auction sale three weeks ago. It was announced at the time that the new owner was an apartment builder, who planned to erect a nine story structure. This is the type of house to be erected by Tishman & Sons, designs for the building having been prepared by Schwarts & Gross.

RENTS O'NEILL-ADAMS STORE,

Ground Floor of 6th Ave. Building Taken by Dealers in Men's Wear.

The Saxon Realty Company has rented the entire ground floor and basement of the O'Neill-Adams department store property on Sixth avenue from Twenty-second street for the United States Realty and Improvement to I. Guryan & Co., dealers in men's wear at 292 Fifth avenue.

JAP IMPORTERS IN BIG LEASE.

HERZOG TO BUILD ON 82D ST. poration, Samuel A. Herzog president, has bought from Louis Ganzemiller 10s East Eighty-second street through John J. Kavanaugh and Douglas L. Elliman & Co. This acquisition gives the owning company a total frontage of 96.6 feet, a on which it will start immediately the erection of a nine story apartment house to contain apartments of six, seven and eight rooms, to be finished August 1, 1916. Douglas L. Elliman & Co. will be the renting agents for the new building. The East Eighty-second Street Cor-

M. I. Strunsky & Co. have sold for the widow of William C. Trull to Gus-tavus L. Lawrence a plot of fifteen lots on the west side of Wadsworth avenue.

Millton J. Tucker, doing business as the Berlin Waist Store, at 2886 Broadway, has made an assignment to William C. Rosenberg.

Acke Braid And Trimming Company at 21 West Nineteenth street, have made an assignment to Othello Coppel and Morris Loebelson.

Solomon Toepfer, jeweller, at 2507 Seventh avenue, has made an assignment to Joseph Waliman.

Julia Connella, grocer at 256 East 157th street, has made an assignment to Peter J. Galligan.

Assignment Schedules.

Herman S. Hoffman, trading as the National Middy Waist Company at 491 East 104th street, has filed schedules showing Habilities 12,443, nominal assets \$2,299 and actual assets \$2,2666.

Sellig & Winter, inc., manufacturer of women's neckwear at 112 East Nineteenth street, has filed schedules showing Habilities \$2,477, nominal assets \$22,666.

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corner of Bristow street and Stebbins avenue. On the site Ittman & Wolff will erect four five story modern upartment houses from plans by William Koppe. The property was held at \$100.-

has sold to a client of P. B. Clarke
148 Spring street, a five story business building with stores, on lot 20x100. Mr. Jackson recently acquired
the Spring street property in a trade
for a summer residence at Brightwaters, L. I.
WEST 18TH STEET.—Stephen S.
Johnson has sold for H. E. Stevens
221 and 223 West Eighteenth street,
two five story dwellings, on plot
50x92.

Deal Pultmann
berg Co.; minth hoof at term of years
Twenty-sixth street for a term of years
to Poller & Baumann, and to Schiffron
& Sons top loft at 484 Sixth avenue.
Van Norden & Wilson have leased
for Cross & Brown, as agents, the store
in the two story building being crected
at the northeast corner of Broadway
and Thirtieth street to the Wallack's
Bukery and Lunch Company.
Charles B. Van Valen has leased the
rear of the seventh floor of 95 William
street to Von Twister & Volk, insurance
agents, for three years with renewals;

the Gen. Brayton Ives estate at Ossining, N. Y., for a country home. The estate consists of seventy-eight acree on the Hudson River, where it has a private dock. It is considered one of the finest in this part of the country. There is a large brick house, modern in eyery way, and a Colonial house, a relic of prerevolutionary times. It is said that the poem "The Night Before Christmas" was written by Clement C. Moore in the parior of this house. There is a brick stable large enough to accommodate seventy-five horses, also a gardener's cattage and other cottages.

NEW GREENACRES DWELLINGS. Clarence W. Decker of the Commercial Security Company has sold a plot on Berkeley road, Greenacres, opposite the residence of W. W. Griffiths. The owner will erect an English house, plans of which have already been drawn by Clarence Upjohn, architect.

Louis Schlesinger has sold the Beaux Arts apartment at 362 Clinton avenue, Newark, for the Federal Land, Beilding and Improvement Company to Margaret C. A. Atkinson for investment. It is a four story limestone building containing eight apartments, on a plot 57x100, with an additional irregular plot in the rear approximately 80x100. The buyer gave in part payment a 312 acre farm at Penns Grove, N. J., on Salem Creek, in close proximity to the Du Pont plant, and on account of the increased demand for property in this section the new owners are considering subdividing the tract and selling in small parcels. The entire transaction involved about \$100,-8000.

OIL CO. N. J. TRACT BUYER. The Tide Water Oil Company has bought from the Abraham J. Demarest estate a tract, 493x903, on the south side of Hook road, between Avenues F and G, at Bayonne, N. J. The price is reported at \$89,000.

RENTS O'NEILL-ADAMS STORE

Morimura Bros. Take 100,000 Sq. Ft. on 23d Street.

August 1, 1916. Douglas L. Elliman & Co. will be the renting agents for the new building.

BUILDER BUYS HEIGHTS BLOCK.

George R. Read & Co. have sold for the Roxton Realty Company to the Haven Construction Company, Charles Flaum, the block front on the east side of Northern avenue between 177th und 178th streets, a plot 255x112. The new owners will erect on the site three high class apartment houses, marking the first improvement on any of the holdings of the Roxton company in the Fort Washington section.

Have leased 100,000 square feet through Frederick Fox & Co. for a long term of years at a yearly rental which is said will total \$1.000,000 for the period of the lease. The building will be twelve stories and will cover the property known on the map as 53, 55 and 57 West Twenty-third street. Because of the coming of the Morimuras to the building Mr. Coleman has consented to importers and wholesalers with plants elsewhere. This plan has proved very attractive apparently, for negotiations are perming with a number of leading concerns for the remainder of the space for use as salesrooms only. The building will be ready for tenants next Octo-Washington section.

WADSWORTH AVE. PLOT SOLD.

Tor use as salesrooms only. The building will be ready for tenants next October. William Birkmire is the architect.

the widow of William C. Trull to Gustavus L. Lawrence a plot of fifteen lots on the west side of Wadsworth avenue, running from 180th to 192d street. The plot has a frontage of 369 feet and a depth of 98 feet. The rear line measures more than 400 feet.

HIGH PRICED WEST END HOUSE.

Walter L. McCorkle has sold his residence at 300 West End avenue, north-

Koppe. The property was held at \$100.000. A building and permanent loan of
\$195,000 has been secured from the
Lawyers Mortgage Company. Simon J.
Bloom negotiated the sale and secured
the loan.

49-53 East Twenty-first street, containing 7,400 square feet to Schlieper.
Marks & Strouse; also with Ogden &
Clarkson, the second floor at 16-18 West
Twenty-second street, running through
to 15-17 West Twenty-first street, containing 12,000 square feet BROXX PLOT REPORTED SOLD.

The block front on the east side of St. Ann's avenue, between 138th and 123th street, 200 5v102 7v125. Improved the company of the control of th

The block front on the east side of St. Ann's avenue, between 138th and 139th streets, 200.5x102.7x125, improved with about twenty-five one story stores and a moving picture theatre, is reported to have been sold. The owner of record of the property is the Zarland Realty Company.

The M. Rosenthal Company has leased to Mark Aronson & Co. top loft at 236-238 Fifth avenue; seventh floor at 141-143 West Twenty-eighth street for 141-143 West Twenty-eighth street to the Dreadnought Floor-ting Company; 10,000 square feet at 230-2 West Fifteenth street and space on the twelfth floor at 17-21 East Twenty-eighth are 141-143 West Twenty-eighth street to the Dreadnought Floor-ting Company; 10,000 square feet at 230-2 West Fifteenth street and space on the twelfth floor at 17-21 East Twenty-second street to Solomon Sylgals. SPRING ST. LOFT RESOLD.

a term of years to Loewenstein & Rosenberg Co.; ninth floor at 134-140 West
has sold to a client of P. B. Clarke
Twenty-sixth street for a term of years

TRANSACTIONS RECORDED. TRANSPERS (With name and address of lender and storney. If atterney's name is emitted ddress party of first part,) Bowstown. (South of Fourteenth st.)

(Manhattan Island, north of 110th st.)

(Borough of The Bronx.)

MORTGAGES (With name and address of lender and lender's attorney.)

Manhattan.

THOMPSON ST, 152-154—Bronx Investment Co & ano to S Morris Banner, White Flains, N Y; atty, L T Co, 160 Broad-

RECORDED LEASES.

Manhattan.

BOSTON RD, 1810, s w c Charlotte st.
store & b—Av St John and Fox St Corporation to Max Cohen, 886 E 173d st;
atty, A Hupfels Sons, 842 St Ann's
av\$1,440 to \$1,680

LIS PENDENS.

Manhattan.

MADISON AV, w. s. 60 n listh st. 40.11x
110—Newerk Trust Co. agt Charles
Church et al (foreclosure of mortgages);
atty, H R Medina.

WEST END AV. s w cor 73d st. 24.4x95—
Geo H Allen agt Eille F Moffitt et al
(amended foreclosure of mortgage);
attys, Cary & Carroll.

PLEMSANT AV. 351—Clarice D'Andrea agt
Stephen H Jackson et al (action to remove encroachment, &c); atty, C H
Levitt. Manhattan. move encroachment, &c); atty. C it Levitt.

1418T ST. s s, 126 w Broadway, 100x92.11—Theodore D McCaddon agt Murray Hill Realty Co et al (foreclosure of mort-gage); attys, Stoddard & Mark.

Bronx.

BRIGGS AV. 2849—Robert W Todd agt
George D Kingston et al (foreclosure of
mortgage); atty, 8 St John.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

AV B. 92—Knickerbocker Metal Ceiling Coagt Richard M Lederer, owner: H Steinberg, contractor \$158

CONVENT AV 470—Samuel Offerman agt Alapri Trading Co. owner: Hattie B Dinkelepiel, contractor \$225.25

BROADWAY. 2182 to 2186 and 77th st. 225 to 231 W—William Essmuller agt Eva J Coe, owner: Climax Leasehold Inv & N Y Improved Property, Inc. lessees Manhattan.

city.
Frank Land Corporation, Inwood; capistral, \$10,000; directors, Haistead H. Frost, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Smith Prague, Inwood, \$20,000; Nassau county, N. Y., and J. Russel, Sprague, Lawrence, N. Y. (With name and address of lender and least the least of lender and least the least of lender and least the least the

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WEATHER FORECAST

Washington Predictions for To-day and To-morrow.

For eastern New York, cloudy and colder to-day, with probably local enews; un-settled to-morrow; probably snow in south portion; moderate variable winds. For New England, cloudy to-day; prob snow to-morrow; moderate variable winds vania, cloudy to-day, probably followed by

rain and colder; snow or rain to-morrow moderate variable winds, becoming northerly.
For western New York, snow flurries and colder to-day; probably fair to-morrow; moderate westerly winds

moderate westerly winds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—An area of moderate depression occupied the lake regions yesterday from a centre over western Ontario, but elsewhere throughout the country, high pressure prevailed with centres over the south Atlantic States and over South Dakota and Nebraska.

Conditions were generally cloudy in the New England and middle Atlantic States, the lake regions and central valleys.

Snow fell in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and New Mexico and rain in Texas.

Elsewhere, the weather was generally fair.

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It was much warmer in the Ohio Valley, middle and lower lake regions and the middle Atlantic States and much colder in the Missouri and upper Mississippi valleys.

Temperatures were below zero southward into Nebraska, Colorado and Wyoming.

In this city the day was fair to partity cloudy; wind, fresh southwest; average humidity, 64 per cent.; barometer, corrected to read to sea level, at 8 A. M., 30 14; 3 P. M., 30 16.

The temperature in this city yesterday, as recorded by the official thermometer, is shown in the annexed table:

9 A. M. 33° 10° 6 P. M. 39° 12 M. 35° 20° 9 P. M. 38° 12 M. 58° 25° 12 Mid. 37° Highest temperature, 30°, at 4 P. M. Lowest temperature, 26°, at 6 A. M.

EUROPEAN MAILS.

any for Nuples, will take mail, closing at Si30 A. M., for Italy, Rumania, Serbia and Greece.

The Holland-America liner Rotterdam, sailing to-day for Rotterdam, will take mail, closing at 8:30 A. M., for Europe, except Germany, Austria, Hungary, Turkey, Bulgaria, Norway, Sweden and Denmark; also for Africa, West Asia and East Indies.

The White Star liner Lapland, sailing Thursday for Liverpool, will take mail, closing at 8:30 A. M., for Great Britain and Ireland when specially addressed only.

The Greek liner Theastlonika, sailing Thursday for Pirseus, will take mail, closing at 11:30 A. M., for Greece when specially addressed only.

The Sicula-Americana liner San Gugli-elmo, sailing Thursday for Naples, will take mail, closing at 9:30 A, M., for Italy, Rumania, Serbia, Greece and Switzerland.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Sun rises. . . 7:20 Sun sets . 4:36 Moon rises 11:45 HIGH WATER THIS DAY. SandyH'k 11 49 Gov. Isl. 12:03 Hell Gate... 1:53 LOW WATER THIS DAY.

Ss Espagne, at Bordeaux. SAILED FOR NEW YORK. Ss Oscar II. from Copenhagen. Ss Collingham, from Barry. Ss Carrillo, from Savanilla. Ss Sixaola, from Tela.

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